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In re Application of:

YOSHIHIRO ISHIBE

Application No.: 09/774,125

Filed: January 31, 2001

For: LIGHT SCANNING OPTICAL
SYSTEM, OPTICAL SCANNING
APPARATUS AND IMAGE FORMING
APPARATUS USING THE SAME

Docket No.

35.C15080

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Date: May 24, 2001

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

 No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 116	MINUS	** 116	= 0	x \$9 \$18	-0-
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 3	MINUS	*** 3	= 0	x \$40 \$80	-0-
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$135°/\$270						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						-0-

* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

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°verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

A check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.

Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the fee for a _____ month extension is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, CA office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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